

## MMAC STATEMENT ON ABELE S.A.V.E. PROPOSAL

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"Milwaukee County Executive Chris Abele's SAVE (Sustainable, Affordable, Visionary, and Efficient) Plan shows leadership in addressing the challenges facing Milwaukee County's transportation and transit infrastructure and makes responsible choices to address those needs. By creating a county user fee for motorists and investing the proceeds generated into needed road repairs and our existing transit system's capital needs, the County Executive has shown leadership on the county level. The County Executive's proposal for Milwaukee County shines a spotlight on the need for state leaders to show similar leadership in finding a responsible, sustainable, long-term funding solution for the state's transportation infrastructure needs as well."

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